

# INSANE MAN SHOT PRESIDENT

## Two Bullets Took Effect--- Believed to be Serious. Re- moved to Hospital.

Buffalo, Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—3:50 p. m. President McKinley was shot twice at the Pan-American grounds this afternoon by an insane man. One bullet took effect in the shoulder and the other in the breast.

He has been removed to Service Building Hospital at the grounds.

Later—It is now said that one bullet struck the president in the cheek and the second shot in the groin. Both wounds are serious.

Latest report is that the President cannot recover.

## REFUSED.

### Amalgamated Will Not Accept Schwab's Terms.

### Morning Hopes For Peaceful Settlement Were Destroyed.

PITTSBURG, PA., SEPT. 6.—(Spl.)—THE STEEL TRUST PROPOSITION HAS BEEN TURNED DOWN BY THE AMALGAMATED ASSOCIATION. THE TRUST AN-

NOUNCES THAT NO FURTHER NEGOTIATIONS WILL BE HAD AND SEVERAL DEALINGS WITH THE AMALGAMATED. THE TRUST WILL TRY TO START AT ITS MILLS AT ONCE.

### Morning's Prospects Were Bright.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—Hope that the great steel strike may at last be settled was warranted by the hurried assembly of the Amalgamated Association Executive Board this morning to consider the more recent peace proposition submitted by President Schwab of the U. S. Steel corporation.

The members of the Board arrived early and immediately went into secret session. Nearly every member of the Board was present. Members of the Board freely expressed the hope that peace will be reached as a result of today's meeting. They are more

cheerful in spirit and unanimous in the expression that any honorable terms of settlement will be accepted. The proposal of Mr. Schwab was not disclosed to the Board until this morning's session opened behind barred doors and guarded hall ways. President Shaffer and other executive officers refused absolutely to be seen by reporters or to discuss the proposition. President Shaffer had to lay before the executive officers of the Amalgamated Association. It is felt, however, that the new plans carry certain concessions not contained in the previous proposal.

### Found In an Augur Hole--- Fat Roll Brought to Light.

Norwalk, O., Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—Theodore Saunders, of Bronson, while tearing down an old log barn, found a roll of bank notes tucked away in an augur hole, with a face value of \$420. One bill was a one hundred dollar note on the New York bank, dated 1830, a ten dollar note on a Philadelphia bank dated 1835, 31 ten dollar notes

on the Chemung Canal bank, Elmira, N. Y., dated Feb. 1, 1844. Saunders took the bills to the Huron County bank in this city where it was learned that the one hundred dollar and ten dollar Philadelphia notes were worthless, but the Elmira bank still existed and it has sent Saunders a draft for \$310.

### Because She Was Scolded Bride Killed Herself.

New York, Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—Child by her husband because she took too much wine, Martha Peters, a bride of but three months, killed herself at a merry dinner party at her home Wednesday night. Peters found it necessary during the dinner to mildly reproach her husband for drinking more wine than she should. Leaving the table, Mrs. Peters went to a side board and filling a glass full of carbolic acid, she dramatically turned to her guests and

said: "Well, I am tired of this." With that she swallowed the deadly poison and died shortly after. Her husband said today liquor was the cause for his wife's tragic end. "Time and again she promised me she would stop drinking," Peters said, "but the desire overcame her and the old habit would break out again." Mrs. Peters was only 26 years old. She was a Miss Martha Donnelly, of Perth Amboy, N. J.

## LONE WOMAN

### May Cause a Strike of Uncle Sam's Printers.

Washington, Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—A strike may be caused in Uncle Sam's big printing office by one lone woman. Mrs. Mary Callaghan, a pressfeeder in the government printing office, refuses to join a new union, and as the members of the organization are pledged to handle nothing but union material, her refusal to join may lead to interesting developments. As Mrs. Callaghan is protected by the civil service rules, public printers will be obliged to defend her against the union.

## READY

### For the Inquiry Court.

### Nearly All Preliminaries Over.

### Schley Will Challenge Howison's Right.

### Inquiry Will Cost Uncle Sam Nearly \$100,000.

Washington, Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—The Navy department has summoned the witnesses desired by Admiral Schley and the latter will, within a few days have the desired opportunity of examining these in advance of the sessions of the court. With the exception of this preliminary examination, Schley's counsel have practically completed all the work which can be done beforehand and today's conference will be practically the last before the 12th.

Delay is expected directly after the first meeting of the court because it has now definitely been decided that Schley will challenge Rear Admiral Howison on the ground that the opinions he has expressed in the controversy disqualify him from sitting as a judge in the case. The other two members of the court will have to determine this issue in advance of all others.

One of the orders bearing upon the ceremonial side of the proceeding was issued last night. It prescribes full dress uniform for officers in attendance on the first day and service uniform thereafter.

It is now estimated the cost of the inquiry will be within the \$100,000 mark.

## BELGIANS

### Agree to an American Trust.

### Their Glass Interests Will Give Them Two Thirds.

London, Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—The Brussels correspondent of the Financial News, says that a majority of the Belgian glass works, have consented the principle, to the formation of a trust under American control, receiving for their plants, one third cash and two thirds in shares of the trust.

## WU'S WORRY.

### Company Coming and Money Running Low.

Washington, Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—Minister Wu has just received word that Prince Chun who is now in Berlin will soon visit him. As the Prince has a suite of 57 and Wu's salary checks have not been coming regularly, he fears he may have to pawn some of his best Chinese bricabrac to extend the proper hospitality.

## ACTRESS HURT.

### Fell Forty Feet During a Play's Rehearsal.

New York, Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—Laura Burt, the actress, while rehearsing the role of Dolores in a burlesque on "Under Two Flags" at the New York theater yesterday afternoon was thrown against a flimsy support at the top of a 40-foot runway, and fell to the bottom. She was seriously hurt.

## GOODRICH SHOP.

### Scene of a Small Fire Friday Morning.

An alarm from the B. F. Goodrich Co. at 7:30 Friday morning drew a larger crowd than any similar alarm has done for weeks. A small blaze in the cement room caused the alarm, but the fire was extinguished before the department arrived.

## BRITISH

### Like McKinley's Speech Well.

### They Think His Policy Good For Europe.

### "Sounded the Death Knell of McKinleyism."

### London Editors View of His Buffalo Statements.

London, Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—The Star, commenting editorially on the speech of President McKinley at the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo yesterday, speaks particularly of the tariff clause in the speech. The paper says:

"President McKinley has sounded the knell of McKinleyism. The abolition of tariffs which are no longer needed for revenue or the protection of home industries means the leveling the outworks of the protectionist citadel, and a great victory for free trade. If Mr. McKinley can carry his views it will be a capital thing for Europe, but a still more magnificent thing for the States themselves."

## A COMMANDO

### Captured Lock, Stock and Barrel by British.

Middleburg, Cape Colony, Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—Col. Scobell's column has captured the whole of Lotter's commando, near Petersburg. The Boers lost 12 killed, 40 wounded and 103 taken prisoners. Two hundred horses were also captured.

## BIG CHIEF

### Arrives in Cleveland For G. A. R. Encampment.

Cleveland, Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—Commander-in-Chief Lee Russell, of St. Louis, head of the G. A. R., arrived in the city today. He will look after G. A. R. matters preliminary to the Grand Army festival to be held here next week.

## CONVENT.

### Typhoid Fever Epidemic Reports Were Exaggerated.

Batesville, Ind., Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—Dr. N. Sitka, physician to the Immaculate Conception convent, at Ogdensburg, says reports of an epidemic of typhoid fever in the convent have been exaggerated. There are now seven serious cases and several light ones. The opening of the young ladies' seminary has been postponed.

New York, Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—A messenger boy from Burrill & Stitt, stock brokers, lost a certified check for \$100,000.19 yesterday. No trace of the lost check has yet been found.

## THE WEATHER:

FAIR TONIGHT AND SATURDAY.

## DRUGGED.

### Market Overflowed by Supply of Peaches.

### All Are Grown In Ohio, and Prices of Last Year Cut In Two.

It has been conservatively estimated that during the week ending Friday evening, 8,000 bushels of peaches have been sold in Akron. Of course, this means that the sales next week will not be so large, as the harvest is now in its fulness, and nearly every family has canned large quantities. While it is thought the later varieties will be better than the earlier ones, it is safe to say the canning season is pretty well advanced. An aggregate of 5,000 bushels is anticipated for next week.

Nearly all the peaches sold here are grown in Ohio, many of them in Summit county. The crop on O. W. Hale's fruit farm, along Merriman st. is estimated at 1,000 bushels. As a rule, the fruit is of good quality, and prices are much cheaper than during this time last year. Then the best varieties sold at \$2.25 a bushel; now the best varieties are selling at \$1.30 per bushel, and the market is overflowed by the supply. It is estimated that 1,500 bushels of peaches will be sold in this city Saturday.

### UGLY TEACHER WANTED--- OTHERS ALL GOT MARRIED.

### Good Looking Young Women Need Not Apply For Position.

Fredericktown, O., Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—The school board of Butler has offered a bonus for the homeliest teacher in Ohio to take charge of the primary department there for one year. Ugliness of person must be the successful applicant's first qualification. Ability as a teacher enters into the matter later if at all. The lady to whom the position is tendered must sign a contract not to get married until the end of the

school term. Recently the board engaged Miss Ada Long to teach the primary room, but shortly after her election as teacher, she was married and offered her resignation. Then another beautiful young lady, Miss Myrtle Stewart, received the favorable consideration of the board. Her marriage closed a little romance a week later. Next Jennie Hall got the job and a husband at the end of the week.

### Admitted That He Kissed Her, But Didn't Like to Hear It Said.

Portsmouth, O., Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—A peculiar criminal libel case was heard in "Squire Searles" court at South Webster, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Sarah Winkhouse told some of her neighbors that she saw Garfield Colegrove kiss Miss Adella Lair. Miss

Lair caused Mrs. Winkhouse to be arrested. Colegrove admitted to an inquisitive attorney that he had kissed Miss Lair many times, but swore that he had not done so at the time and place mentioned. Accordingly Mrs. Winkhouse was bound over to the grand jury.

### Takes Himself Out of Her Way--- Husband Wants a Divorce.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—Stanley Johns, stage manager and a member of "The Gamekeeper" company, now playing here, has filed an application for divorce from his wife, whose stage name is Marguerite Ne-

ville. Johns says he applies for the divorce so he will not be a bar to his wife's progress in her profession. He avers he loves her with all his heart and that her affection for him has been turned by a woman well known in vaudeville.

### Fond of the Excitement--- Incendiary Fireman Caught.

New Philadelphia, O., Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—Robert W. Ditto, a former member of the New Philadelphia Fire department, was arrested here and confessed to having been the perpetrator of a large number of incendiary fires that

have occurred here during the last six months. He gave no reason for his incendiary work except that he liked to see the people get excited and run to the fires. Ditto was held under \$10,000 bond.

## CAUCUSES.

### Places Where They'll be Held.

### Democrats Should Not Fail to Attend.

The Democratic county convention will be held tomorrow and the caucuses tonight should be well attended. The hours are from 7 to 8 o'clock and the places of the caucuses as follows: First ward—Central engine house. Second ward—No. 2 engine house. Third ward—Barnett's livery stable. Fourth ward—Booth, at cor. Howard and Beach sts. Fifth ward, No. 3 engine house. Sixth ward—No. 6 engine house. Seventh ward—No. 4 engine house. Eighth ward—Booth at intersection Pearl, Wheeler and Grant sts.

## VERY NICELY.

### Kaiser Is Going to be Good to Chun.

Berlin, Sept. 6.—(Spl.)—The Kaiser has invited Prince Chun, the head of the Chinese expatriate mission to Germany to attend the naval manoeuvres at Dantzig.

## Grands vs Peerless.

The Grands and Peerless bowling teams will meet tonight on the Grand Alleys in a return game, after the one played this week on the Howard st. alleys.

## Akron Police Invited.

Chief Durkin and as many of the police as can attend have received an invitation to participate in the festivities of the Republican campaign opening at Delaware, O., September 21.